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SUBJ: JDL PRESS CONFERENCE

1. USUN HAS BEEN INFORMED THAT JEWISH DEFENSE LEAGUE (JDL) HELD NEWS CONFERENCE EVENING MARCH 25 AT ITS HEADQUARTERS, 1133 BROADWAY, NEW YORK CITY, DURING WHICH JDL CLAIMED TO BE IN RECEIPT OF LETTER FROM JEWISH ARMED RESISTANCE. LETTER, REPORTEDLY, STATED THAT JEWISH ARMED RESISTANCE RESPONSIBLE FOR PLACEMENT OF BOMB AT AMTORG TRADING CORPORATION MORNING MARCH 25. BOMB WAS ACCURATELY DESCRIBED IN LETTER. LETTER FURTHER STATED, ACCORDING TO JDL, THAT UNLESS MARINA TIENKIN FREED BY SOVIETS, TWO SOVIET CHILDREN WOULD BE TAKEN HOSTAGE AND HELD IN RANSOM FOR TIENKIN'S RELEASE. (COMMENT: LATTER REFLECTS THREATS ON JDL PLACARDS: "TWO RUSSIANS FOR EVERY JEW.")
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